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This Notice of Appeal is filed in response to the Office action dated October 9, 2003 (Paper No. 18). The three month period for responding to the Office action expired on January 9, 2004. Applicant's previously paid for a one (1) month extension of time which extended the response period from January 9, 2004 through February 9, 2004. Accordingly, applicants request and petition that the response date be extended, for 2 additional month(s), through April 9, 2004. Please charge the additional extension fee (\$840) and the enclosed Notice of Appeal fee (\$330) to our deposit account No. 16-0820.

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